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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Part B. for March 1907

SUBJECT.

Rules regarding the storage of Petroleum in Tanks.

Contents

From the Dy Commr of Bangalore Distt

No 5455 dt 4-12-1906

Solicits instructions re the application of the Petroleum Tank Rules in Province.

R. S. 58 To the Dy Comr Mysore No 9164-8 dt 16-12-1906

Calls for a copy of the rules

3 From

The President Mysore city Municipal Commission No 90 dt 5-1-07

States that neither any letter was received by the Mysore city municipality from the Distt Engineer S.M.R Company nor any rules were sent to the latter by the former in the matter

4 To the President Bangalore city Municipality No 1989 dt 11-1-07

Calls for copy the rules in question

5 from Dy - No 5584 dt 25-1-07

Forwards the rules in question as in force in the City of Bangalore

6 To the Dy Comm. Bangalore & ex officio Pres. of Bangalore City Municipality J2308 dt 1-2-1907

Requests him to forward for perusal the original of the rules in question with information as to the authority under which they were issued

7 From the same officer, No 214 dt 13-2-1907

States that the original of the above

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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File. No 18

FILE HEADING.

Rules regarding Storage of Petroleum in Tanks

From

The Deputy Commr of the Sangaloe District

No. S 1155 Dated 4/12/06 Received 6/12/06

Diary No. 9/1330	Enclos. —	Spare Copies. —	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Solicits instructions re the application of the Petroleum Tank Rules in the Province

NOTES AND ORDERS.

1 It is stated that the Dist Engineer, S.M.V.S has reported that a copy of the rules of the Petroleum tanks that are in force there has been forwarded to him and he enquired of the same rule needs applica

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to the Petroleum tanks situated at other stations in the State and that the Deputy Commr is not aware of the existence of such rules.

2nd. The Petroleum Act has not been introduced into this State nor do the rules appear in the list of rules having the force of law in Mysore. This is not also one of the subjects enabled under the Subjects Rules ~~[illegible]~~ as there has not been a case of the existence of any such rules as those reported to have been sent to the Dist Engr: by the Vice President of the ~~Bangalore~~ Mysore City Municipality

Submitted for orders

MS 8/12/06 SN 8/12/06

(3) Please ask the Dy Commr to send a copy of the Rules forwarded by the Vice President of the City Municipality to the District Engineer S M Rly

MS 8/12/06

Draft approved

20/12/06 SN 20/12

Papers MS 20/12/06

Draft issued

2 To the Dy Commr, Mysore. No. J1648 dy 15/12/06.

3 From the President Mysore City Municipal Council,

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N. 50 of the 5th Jan 07

Note that neither any such letter was received by the Vice President of the Bangalore City Municipality from the Dist Supt, S.M.A.C.O., nor any rules were sent to the latter by the former in the matter

Ord. May this be communicated to the President, Bangalore City Municipality and he be informed that there are no rules now existing regulating the storage of Petroleum in tanks. Perhaps the Vice-President of the Bangalore City Municipality must have sent a copy of the rules. Send with a draft docket to the Dy Comr, Bangalore Dr asking him to obtain & send a copy of the Rules in question

SN 5/1/07 & 4/1/07

7 June 07 9/1/07

SN 9-1-07

Done

2 To the President, Bangalore City Municipality N. 3158 & 11/1/07

3 From the same office N. S.558 & 25/1/07.

Forwards a copy of the rules relating to petroleum tanks in force in the City of Bangalore

The authority for these rules has

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has not been granted. Perhaps the Private Secretary asked to enquire informally on this point

Sub-Inspector 30/1/07 31/1/07

Q then may be done. The D.C. commr. may also be asked to send for perusal & return the original copy of the rules which the Vice President has sent in his office

Leg 31/1/07 Secretary 31/1/07 SH 31/1/07

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W 28/1/07

11 Messrs

6 Draft Issued 31/1/07 Do the Offg. Secy. Bangalore, Nos. 2308 & 1/2/07. ex officio Asst. Secy. Civil Sec.

Requests him to forward for perusal the original of the rules in question, with information as to the Authority under which they were issued

7. From the Same Office & dt. 13th Feb 07.

States that the original of the above rules is not available in his office, but that the draft form of license prepared on the lines prescribed by the Madras Govt. which was forwarded to Govt in Nov 1893 and approved by them in Govt Proc Nos. 1242/Ret. 411-92 dt. 26th June 1894, is in force in the City ever since

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12 The Municipality referred to in the above
letter refers to a license which
the Bangalore City Municipality was
authorised to issue to Messrs Best & Co,
under Secs 187 and 188 of the Municipal
Regulation of 1891, to store non-
dangerous petroleum within the precincts
of the Bangalore City Railway Station
The Municipal Regulation of 1891 was
in force in Mysore & Bangalore Towns
only. Even if this Regulation had not
been repealed, the license to construct
similar tanks could have been granted
only in the above 2 towns. The Regula
tion of 1891 has been repealed by the
New Municipal Regulation of 1906
Sec 15 of the latter reserves
to Municipal Council the power to
regulate certain trades, which include
the use of any building or place as
a manufactory or place of business
of any substance which may
involve risk of fire (Cl. 9). or for
storing any combustible material
(Cl. 11). Under this Section, the Muni
cipal Council may by written notice
require the owner or occupier of any
such building or place to use it in

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12 Reply addressed to the above
Refers to a license which the Bangalore City Municipality was authorised to issue to messrs Best & Co, under Secs 187 and 189 of the Municipal Regulation of 1891, to store non-dangerous petroleum within the precincts of the Bangalore City-Railway Station. The Municipal Regulation of 1891 was in force in Mysore & Bangalore Towns only. Even if this Regulation had been repealed, the license to construct similar tanks could have been granted only in the above 2 Towns. The Regulation of 1891 has been repealed by the New Municipal Regulation of Mysore of 1906. Sec 15 of the latter reserves to Municipal Council the power to regulate certain trades, which include the use of any building or place as a manufactory or place of business of any substance which may involve risk or fire (cl. 6). as for storing any Combustible material (cl. 9) Under this section (cl. 11) the Municipal Council may by written notice require the owner or occupier of any such building or place to use it in

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such manner & after such structural alterations as the Council may prescribe as necessary to make it non-dangerous this is all the power conferred on the Municipal Council by the new Regulation

B The Asstt of the Bangalore City Municipality may perhaps be informed that the licence which was authorised to be issued in 1894 cannot be considered to be in force in any other part of the Province at present

Submitted for orders

MCS 14/2/07

14 The municipal Regn of 1871 which was in force only in the town of Bangalore was in the year 1888 extended to the town of Mysore. The license to ~~construct~~ store Petroleum within the precincts of the City Railway Station was granted to Messrs Best & Co in the year 1894. It was apparently issued under Sec 187 of the Regn of 1871 adopting the form of license prescribed by the Madras Govt — The new municipal Regn of 1906 extends to the whole of Mysore under Sec 2 of this

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Regn the license granted to Messrs Best + Co under the repealed Regn of 1871 will notwithstanding such repeal continue to be valid The Bangalore Municipal President evidently seems to be labouring under a mistaken impression that the conditions and restrictions laid down in the license granted under Sec 187 of the Regn of 1871 are rules in force in the town of Bangalore As the Petroleum Act of British India is not in force in Mysore no rules relating to the construction of Petroleum tanks could have been framed under it, though the Municipal Board of Bangalore was competent to take action in the matter under the Municipal Regn. The President may therefore be informed that under the Municipal Regn of 1906 ~~extends to the whole of Mysore~~ the Municipal Council of any particular town may grant a license under Sec ~~187~~ Sch. for the use of any place for any of the purposes mentioned in Sec 157

that there are no special rules applicable to petroleum in the Mysore State, but

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after obtaining the previous sanction
of Govt- under Sec 48 of the said
Regn
Secy)

25/2/07

15 Dy. Add that what he refers
refers to as "rules" is apparently
merely a License issued by
Govt- under the said Regn
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25/2/07

To the District Judge
To the President, Bangalore City Municipality,
No. 3086 Dy 5/07

Stating that there are no special rules
applicable to Petroleum in Mysore: but that
under the Municipal Regulation of 1906,
the Municipal Council of any town may
grant a license for the purpose mentioned
in Sec 152 after obtaining Govt- sanction &
that he refers to as rules merely a license

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From

The Dy Commissioner
Bangalore

To

The Secy to Govt of Mysore
Gen & Rev Depts

Dated 4

Despatched December 1906

Received

General No.

No. 455

Enclosure No.

Solicits instruction re the application of the Petroleum Rules in the Province

Bangalore District

Deputy Commissioners Office

S. No. 455 Bangalore 4th December 1906.

From,

H. A. Sparkes Esquire.

Deputy Commissioner.

Bangalore District.

To,

R. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar Esquire
B.A.B.L.

Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

General & Revenue Departments.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that the District Engineer, Southern Mahratta Railway, Bangalore District applied in his No. 6281 of the 9th November 1906, for a copy of the Rules of the Petroleum tanks that are in force in Mysore to which the Vice President of City Municipality sent a copy of the same applicable within the City Municipal limits only. The District Engineer has again requested to be informed if the same

Rules

Rules are also applicable to the Petroleum tanks situated at other stations in the Mysore Province. As this office is not in a position to answer the question I solicit your instructions, with spare copies of the rules, if there are any such

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

H.H. Parker
Deputy Commissioner

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Serial No 2

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No. J 1648

General and Rev. Secretariat
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To

The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

Date of issue 15/12/06

Signed by for Chamberlain

Has the honour to request him to be so good as to forward to this office for reference a Copy of the rules regarding the Petroleum Depots in force in the Mysore City which is reported to have been sent ~~from this~~ by the Vice President of the Mysore City Municipality to the District Engineer of the Southern Mahratta DB Camps, Dharwar District, in response to the latter's letter No. 6781 of the 5th Nov 1906

By order
W
for Secretary

SUBJECT.

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1906

From

M. Kantharaja Urs Esq

President, City Municipal,
Commission,
Mysore.

To

K. S. Ishwara Rao Khasa Iyer Esq

Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore.
Rev. & Gen. Depts.

Dated 5th

Despatched 7th January 07

Received

General No. 90
No.

Enclosure No. "

Reporting that the Vice President did not send the rules re the petroleum tanks, to the District Engineer, S. M. R. Company.

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No. 90

THE CITY MUNICIPAL Council OFFICE,
MYSORE.

Dated 5th January 1907.

From

M. Kantharaj Urs Esquire, B.A.

PRESIDENT, CITY MUNICIPAL Council COMMISSION,
MYSORE.

To

K.S. Chendrasekhara Iyer Esquire, B.A.B.L.

SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,
REV. & GEN. DEPTS.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No.J.1648/Legis.18-2 dated 15th ultimo requesting to send for reference a copy of the rules -- regarding the Petroleum tanks in force in the Mysore city which is - reported to have been sent by the Vice President to the District --- Engineer of the Southern Mahratte Railway Company, Bangalore District in response to the latter's letter No.6781 dated 9-11-06, I have the honor to state on enquiry it is learnt that neither the letter ---- referred to was received from the District Engineer, Southern ----- Mahratta Railway Company, nor the Vice President has sent any copy of the rules regarding Petroleum tanks to that officer.

I have the honor to be,

sir,

your most obedient servant,

Y. Hanumantha Rao

For President.

HVP

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Revs File No. 18-06

Serial No. 4

Diary No. of letter replied to _____

No. 1989

General and Rev. Secretariat

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To

Ds Comr

The ~~President of the~~

Bangalore City

~~Municipality~~

Date of issue 11/1/07

Signed by Mr Macfarlane Chell

Her letter No. 455 dated the 4th December 1906 soliciting instructions in regard to the application of the Petroleum Dank Rules in the State

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Adverting to the above, has the honour to request that a Copy of the rules regarding the Petroleum rules in force in Mysore which is reported to have

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SUBJECT.

been sent by the Vice-president
& the Chief Engineer, Southern Mahratta Railway may be obtained
and forwarded to this office for
reference

By order
W 9/1/07
Secretary

SW
9/1/07

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From

The Dy. Commissioner
Bangalore Dist.

To

The Secy. to Govt. of Mysore
Genl. & Rev. Depts

Dated 25

Despatched 26 Jany. 1907

Received

General No.

S No. 584

Enclosure No. one

His No. D 1989 of 11th Inst
Ryis. 18-06-4

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Forward copy of Rules
relating to Petroleum
tanks in force in the
Bangalore city

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Bangalore District
Deputy Commissioners Office

S. No. 584
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Bangalore 25th January 1901

From H. H. Sparkes Esquire
Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

To, R. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar Esquire
BA BL
Secretary to the Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Departments.

Sir, In reply to your docket No J 1989
Legis: 18-06-4
dated 11th Instant I have the honor
to forward herewith an exact copy
of the rules relating to the Petroleum
Tanks in force in the Bangalore
City, which was sent by the Vice
President City Municipality to the
District Engineer, Southern Mahratta
Railway Company. I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Illegible

mg for Dy Commissioner

Rules and Conditions

I The licence shall be renewed from year to year, and it shall be liable to be cancelled without assigning any reason at the end of a year and for sufficient reason before the year.

II. (a) The building itself for the reception and storage of Kerosene oil shall be constructed with stone or brick walls, with terraced tiled or iron roofs and with tiled or paved or earthern floors

(b) The doors and openings of the building shall be built up to a height of not less than two feet above the level of the road or street in such manner that the Petroleum cannot flow out in case of fire and

(c) the Building shall be separated

by a clear open space of twenty feet on every side from any other building, provided that the licensing Officer may, for special reasons to be stated in writing dispense with this condition

III The Storage Capacity of the Buildings aforesaid shall be calculated at the rate of 10 Gallons for three Cubic feet.

IV The licensing Officer or any Police Officer of or above the rank of Head Constables appointed by him, may enter the Premises in respect of which this License is granted, for the purpose of inspecting the same at any time after Sun rise and before Sunset.

V The licensing Officer or any Police Officer as aforesaid, may require a sample to be delivered to him from any receptacle

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containing Petroleum stored on the premises in respect of which this License is granted.

VI. The fee at present payable for the License is Rs 14/- per Tank, and it shall be liable to be adjusted under the Provisions of Section 70 (1) of the aforesaid Regulations

VII The amount of fees chargeable for the sampling and testing of Petroleum shall be paid by the ..... and the said sampling and testing of Petroleum may not be less than four times a year.

VIII Any Officer specially authorized by name or by virtue of his office in this behalf by Government may require ....

or their Agents or Servants to
show him any place or receptacle
in which Petroleum in their
possession within the premises
aforesaid is stored or contained
to give him such assistance as he
may require for examining the
same, and to deliver to him samples
of the Petroleum on payment of the
value of the samples which will
be disbursed by the Municipal
Board on receipt of a Bill duly
signed and countersigned by
- - - - - - - - and the Officer
concerned respectively.

IX. Messrs - - - - - shall give the
President due intimation of the
quantity and quality of the Petroleum,
as they receive it from time to time
within the limits of the City

/Signed/ M.G. Krishnaswami Rao
Vice President-Mun. Council
Bangalore City

21/1/07

"Copy"

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With ½ - for Dy C Commissioners

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Serial No. 6

Diary No. of letter replied to ___ ___ ___

No 92308

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore
The Officer Commanding
The Bangalore Elec. Mines

Date of issue 1/2/07

Signed by [illegible]

His letter no. L. 584, dated the 25th January 1907, forwarding a copy of the rules relating to Petroleum tanks in force in the city of Bangalore, which were sent by the Vice President of the Municipality to the Dist. Engineer L.M.R.D.

has the honor to request that he may be so good as to forward to the Officer for perusal the original of the above rules, with information as to the

over.

SUBJECT.

authority and which the
rules were passed

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From

The PRESIDENT, MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
BANGALORE CITY.

To The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore, Genl: and Rev: Depts., Bangalore.

Dated 13th February 1907.

Despatched

Received

General No. 214.

No.

Enclosure No.

Stating that the original copy of the rules relating to petroleum tanks in force in this City is not available in this office &c.

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OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,

City, Bangalore, 13th February 1907.

No. 214.

From

THE PRESIDENT

Municipal Commission,

Bangalore City.

To

The Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments,

Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to your docket No. J.2308/Legis. 18-06-6 dated the 1st: Instant, calling for the origin--al copy of the rules relating to petroleum tanks in force in the Bangalore City, I have the honor to state that the original copy of the rules is not available in this office, as a draft form of license with certain conditions attached thereto, proposed to be issued to Messrs: Best and Co: and adopted from the license form prescribed by the Madras Government, as approved by the Board, was submitted to Government with this of--fice letter No. 209 dated the 22nd. November 1893 with a copy of the Board's Resolution dated the 25th. Septem--ber 1893 and Government approval accorded thereto in Proceedings No. 12142/L.F.411-92 dated the 29th.: Janu--ary 1894. The same form of license is in force ever since.

I have the honor to be

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

M. Krishnaswami Rao

for PRESIDENT.

G.R.S. 26]

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File No. 18
Serial No. 8

Diary No. of letter replied to

No 92689

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Legislative)
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To
The President Municipal
Commissioner Bangalore City

Date of issue 5.3.07

Sir,

Signed by Dy Secretary

~~I am directed to acknowledge~~ ~~receipt~~ Adverting to the correspondence
ending with your letter No. 214/8
the 13th February 1907, enquiring
if the rules governing the Petroleum
tanks within the ~~Bangalore~~ Bangalore
City Municipal limits are also
applicable to the Petroleum
tanks situated at other
stations in the Mysore Province
~~to which the rules apply~~ I am directed to inform
you that there are no special
rules applicable to petroleum
in the Mysore State but that

over.

SUBJECT.

under the Municipal Regulation
of 1906 the Municipal Council
of any particular town may
grant a license under Sec 152
for the use of any place for any
of the purposes mentioned in Sec
151 after obtaining the pre-
vious sanction of Government
under Sec 48 of the said Regulation.
I am to add that what you
refer to as "rule" is apparently
a license granted to messrs
Best and Co. under the old
Regulation of 1891

I have etc

W. J. 25/2/07

for Secretary

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rules are not available in his office but that the draft form of license prepared on the lines prescribed by the Madras Govt which was forwarded to Govt in Nov 1893 as approved by them as Govt Procs No 1214-2/LF-41 dt 29th Jan 1894 is in force in the City even as

To the President Bangalore City Municipality

No 92689 dt 5-3-1907

States that there are no rules applicable to Petroleum in Mysore, but that under the Municipal Regulations of 1906, the Municipal Council of any town may grant a license for the purpose mentioned in Sec 152 after obtaining Govt sanction and what he refers to as rules is only a license.